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☐ the attached specification☐PCT International Application No. PCT/EP 00/01853filed March 3, 2000☐ the specification in application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Arno TiedtkeDATE 13.10.01

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Marcus HARTMANN et al.

Serial No.: 09/914,870

Filed: September 4, 2001

For:  $\beta$ -HEXOSAMINIDASE AND A DNA SEQUENCE CODING IT OBTAINED FROM  
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## CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 CFR 1.497(d)(3)

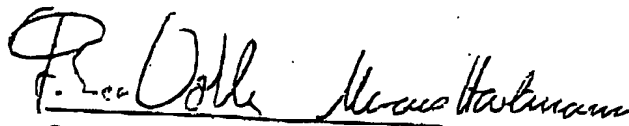
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Sir:

Cilian AG, a corporation of Germany, assignee of the instant application pursuant to assignment documents (copies attached) executed by the inventors, consents in accordance with 37 CFR 1.497(d)(3) to the filing, herewith, of the inventorship declaration under 35 USC 371(c)(4) and 37 CFR 1.497, which inventorship declaration names an inventive entity different from the inventive entity set forth in international application PCT/EP00/01853, filed March 3, 2000.

Cilian AG

By:



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 (2) Tiedtke, Arno  
 (3) Baumert, Uwe  
 (4) \_\_\_\_\_  
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In consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable considerations paid to each of the undersigned, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned hereby assigns, transfers and sets over to

(6) Insert Name of Assignee(6) Cilian AG(7) Insert Address of Assignee(7) of Gasselstiege 38, 48159 Münster(8) Insert Legal Entity and State or Country (e.g., a corporation or citizen of Japan)(8) a corporation of Germany  
 (hereinafter designated as the Assignee) the entire right, title and interest for the United States, its territories, dependencies and possessions, in the invention known as(9) Insert Identification of Invention, such as Title, Case Number or Foreign Application Number(9) B-Hexosaminidase and a DNA Sequence Coding it Obtaining from Ciliates and Use Thereof(10) Insert Date of signing of Application, or filing date and Serial No., if known

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Date	_____	Name of Inventor	<u>Baumert, Uwe</u>	signature (SEAL)
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